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Via ECFS Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1

Dear FCC,

I'm writing in support of Sonic's internet provider service, which is doing an excellent job for me. Friends with other services seem to have far more troubles with their providers than I have. I want that service to continue.

(Since Verizon slowed down internet service to Santa Clara firefighters during one of our recent wildfire emergencies in order to sell them a more expensive program, I think that the internet should be treated as public utility.)

I want broadband competition to continue so all areas of the country - urban and rural - have reliable, affordable choices for service.

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